

**MAGISTRATES COURT  
OF THE AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY**

**NOTICE TO COURT USERS**

**Arrangements to accommodate impact of bushfires**

The Court is conscious of the ongoing bushfire crisis.

Court users are reminded that should they have difficulty attending court, they should notify the opposing party and the court registry. Matters will remain listed unless the registry is informed that all parties agree to an adjournment. The Court will be reluctant to vacate final hearing dates without good reason.

Correspondence to the court registry should ordinarily be copied to the opposing party, and include the following information:

- Your name;
- Phone number and email address;
- The name of your matter and file or charge number (if known);
- The date and time your matter is listed to be heard; and
- Reason for difficulty attending

Contact details are as follows:

For criminal matters:

- By email on: [MCCriminal@courts.act.gov.au](mailto:MCCriminal@courts.act.gov.au)
- By phone on: 02 6205 4902

For civil matters:

- By email on: [Civil@courts.act.gov.au](mailto:Civil@courts.act.gov.au)
- By phone on: 02 6205 3649

For family violence or protection order matters:

- By email on: [protection@courts.act.gov.au](mailto:protection@courts.act.gov.au)
- By phone on: 02 6205 4939



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Registrar

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